

ANDERSEN AIR FORCE BASE – 2012 OPEN HOUSE FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

Q1: What is the date and time for the Andersen Air Force Base Open House A1: The Open House will be Saturday, October 13, with gates opening to the public at 8 a.m. and the event ending at 4 p.m. following the completion of the Pacific Air Forces F-16 Demonstration Team's show.

Q2. How can the general public enter Andersen Air Force Base for the Open House?

A2: The public can access the base only through the main entrance gate on Marine Corps Drive in Yigo. The gates will open at 8 a.m. on the day of the event and the Guam Police Department will be directing traffic as citizens approach the gate as they travel through Yigo on Route 1. From there, all vehicles will be guided by military personnel to the parking area on Arc Light Road, which runs parallel to the flightline on Andersen Air Force Base.

Q3: Will there be a separate entrance for Department of Defense ID cardholders? A3: Yes, all DoD ID cardholders are asked to enter Andersen Air Force Base through the gate on Route 15 (Santa Rosa Gate). There will be a parking area immediately upon entry, and patrons can then ride a base shuttle to the flightline. The shuttle will begin running at 7:30 a.m. and run every 15 minutes, with the final shuttle leaving the flightline for the gate at 5:30 p.m.

Q4: What sections of Andersen Air Force Base will the public be able to access?

A4: Access is limited to the areas of the flightline where the Open House participants have set up their displays and booths. Facilities such as the Commissary, Base Exchange, Gas Station, Fitness Center, Golf Course, etc., are not open to the public.

Q5: Is there a list of prohibited items?

A5: Yes, the prohibited items list can be found on the Open House website at <http://www.andersen.af.mil/andersenafopenhouse.asp>. The most common everyday items on the list include Wallet Chains, Backpacks and Bags (Diaper Bags are Authorized), Cigarette Lighters, Ice chests and Water Coolers, Briefcases and Car Seats. Exceptions will be made for items that are required for child care.

Q6: Can I bring cameras to the Open House?

A6: Yes, cameras are permitted.

Q7: Will the Visitor's Center on Route 1 be open during the Open House?

A7: Yes, but regular visitor's passes will not be processed during the Open House. The Visitor's Center will remain open for Department of Defense-related business.

Q8: How will parking and entry to the flightline be handled?

A8: When a car files through the gate at Andersen Air Force Base, they will follow the main road to the parking area. There will be military members stationed along the road all the way through to the parking lot to make sure guests know where to go. Upon arriving at the parking

area, guests will be directed by military members to the entrance points on the flightline, where a security check will be conducted before guests are permitted to enter the flightline.

Q9: Will there be food and drinks available for purchase?

A9: Yes, Andersen Air Force Base organizations will have a wide range of food, drinks and memorabilia items available for purchase throughout the flightline.

Q10: How can I get help if there is an emergency?

A10: Guests always have the option to dial 911, but they must alert the operator that they are at the Andersen Air Force Base Open House so their call is dispatched to the first responders on Andersen. In addition, there will be numerous Fire Department, Security Forces, Medical and other military personnel in uniform available for on the flightline for guests to reach out to for assistance. Any personnel with a cell phone or radio will be able to call for the first responders that will be ready to dispatch immediately from the Andersen Air Force Base flightline.

Q11: What kind of aircraft and military acts can I expect to see at the Open House?

A11: The Open House will be headlined by Pacific Air Forces F-16 Fighting Falcon Demonstration Team from Misawa Air Base, Japan. They will perform two demonstrations, one in the late morning (approximately 11 a.m.) and one in the mid-afternoon to conclude the show (approximately 3 p.m.). There will also be demonstrations or flyovers by the B-52 Stratofortress, KC-135 Stratotanker and F-22 Raptor. There will also be ground demonstrations by the 36th Wing Security Forces' Military Working Dogs and a performance by Pacific Air Forces' rock/pop band, Pacific Trends.

Q12: Will pre and post-event gatherings (barbecues, tailgating, etc.) be permitted on the base's guest parking areas?

A12: To ensure maximum safety for all of our event guests and to prevent congestion in the traffic areas, guests will not be permitted to have gatherings in the guest parking area. After being led to the parking area by uniformed members, guests will be asked to gather their belongings and proceed to the entry point in a timely manner.

Q13: Will there be special access parking and entry for disabled personnel?

A13: Yes, there will have dedicated parking for disabled personnel as well as wheelchair and stroller lanes through the guest search area to expedite processing. The Open House event is situated on the hardened surface, so access inside the event should not require any further accessibility.